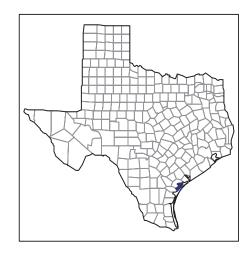
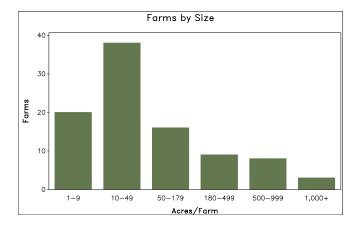
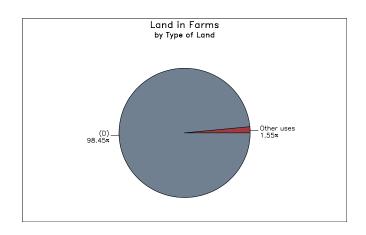


## Aransas, Texas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	94	62	+ 52
Land in Farms	50,951 acres	50,032 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	542 acres	807 acres	- 33
Market Value of Production	\$1,669,000	(D)	
Crop Sales \$45,000 (3 percent) Livestock Sales \$1,624,000 (97 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$17,757	(D)	
Government Payments	(D)	(D)	
Average Per Farm	(D)	(D)	







County Profile

## Aransas, Texas

## Ranked items among the 254 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe 1	U.S. Rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,669 45 1,624	252 250 251	254 253 254	2,982 3,051 2,826	3,076 3,072 3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	(-) (-) (-) (D) (-) (D) (-) 29 9 1,588 (-) (-) (D)	(-) (-) (-) (D) (-) (D) (-) 245 170 247 (-) (-) (D) 239 (-) (D)	244 (-) 161 199 229 176 80 252 240 254 158 235 252 253 101	(-) (-) (-) (D) (-) (2,969 2,495 2,430 (-) (-) (D) 2,682 (-)	2,933 437 626 2,796 2,659 2,703 1,710 3,054 3,020 3,054 2,493 2,922 2,998 3,024 1,498 2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves Quail Layers Goats, All Horses and ponies	3,767 (D) 315 232 155	253 42 165 221 251	254 135 246 252 254	2,584 (D) 2,459 2,144 2,918	3,060 1,386 3,024 3,023 3,066
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop Vegetables harvested, all Beans, snap Sweet corn Tomatoes in the open	906 4 1 1	243 184 96 111 127	253 199 121 124 147	2,892 2,561 1,655 2,219 2,000	3,060 2,794 2,171 2,384 2,368

## **Other County Highlights**

<b>Economic Characteristics</b>	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	40
\$1,000 to \$2,499	23
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14
\$10,000 to \$19,999	6
\$20,000 to \$24,999	(-)
\$25,000 to \$39,999	(-)
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	(-)
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	(-)
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,130
Average per farm (\$)	22,661
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-410
Average per farm (\$)	-4,357

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	22
Other	72
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	85
Female	9
Average age of principal operator (years)	55.6
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:	
American Indian or Alaska Native	(-)
Asian	1
Black or African American	(-)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
White	127
More than one race	5
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	7

<sup>(</sup>D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.